

Giving Update

Budget to date: \$144, 000
Income to date: \$142, 063
Needed: \$1, 937



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Sermon Notes



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Church Calendar

May 7 - Keith Friesen
May 14 - Songs of Praise/Mother's Day
May 21 - Keith Friesen

Prayer List

-Werner & Marlene Ens
-Refugee family
-Pray for those whom you know struggling with physical & mental health

Missions

Kendra Fehr
Ryan Thiessen
Murray & Carol
Honsberger
Laure & Family (Congo)
Eagles Wings Children's Village

Community Announcements

The Bunker Ministry Fish Fry Fundraiser

Sunday, May 7th, 11:30 am, 4:30 pm and 5:45 pm.
Meals are by donation. Book your spots online at bunkerministry.com. If you have any questions, please call Alycia at 204-325-9723 ext 21.

Coffee and Dessert Night Fundraising Concert.

This is D'Friesen's kickoff to their spring and summer event schedule. Everyone is welcome to join us Sunday, May 7th, at 6:30 pm, at the Winkler EMMC for some gospel music from Glorybound Quartet and D'Friesens, with dessert to follow. Free admission, freewill offering to be taken, with all proceeds going to support ongoing Low German ministries. Hope to see you there!

MCC

Shop at Ten Thousand Villages, Winnipeg Spring Market! Join us at 465 Stafford Street (Bethel Mennonite Church) on May 5th from 2-8 pm, or May 6th from 10am- 4pm. Visit villagesbrandon.ca for products.



Mission Statement

We, the Blumenort Mennonite Church, commit to worship God with our lives, enabled by the Holy Spirit to follow the example of Jesus the Christ.

Worship Leader: Kim Derksen
Speaker: Keith Friesen
Song Leader & Pianist: Kendra Fehr
Date: April 30, 2023

Sunday, April 30, 2023

Welcome & Announcements
Call to Worship
Worship in Song
Scripture Reading - James 2:14-26
Congregational Prayer
Offertory
Children's Feature - Carmen Friesen
Worship in Song
Message: "What Does Saving Faith Look Like?"
Closing Song
Benediction

Verse for the Week

"What good is it, if someone says he has faith but does not have works? Can his faith save him?" - James 2:14

Prayer for the Week

"Holy Spirit, help us to live out our faith in our speech and actions, in both our church and our homes."

Church Announcements

-Save the Date: The Education Committee would like to remind families that VBS this summer will be from July 17 to 21. Please keep the dates open as we would love to see you there. We would also like to encourage everyone to think about whether you would be able to volunteer for this outreach as well. Thank you.

Birth Announcement

Congratulations and God's Blessings to Brent & Amy Wiebe on the birth of their daughter, Leah Marie, who was born on April 18th. She is a sister for Noah. We rejoice with you as you welcome this new child into your family!

-If you are newer to BMC, we would love to connect with you! Please take a moment to fill out a connect card (in the back of the pews) with your name and contact info, and place in the offering, so we can reach out to you.

-Youth for Christ (Kendra Fehr)

YFC will be starting their Miss Monday's program back up. We will be kicking it off with a movie and crepe night! April 24th at 7:00 PM at YFC Altona. Girl's age 12 - 20 are all welcome to come.

Community Announcements

Gardens on Tenth

The Gardens on Tenth in Altona is having a fundraiser meal on Friday, May 5th. Doors open at 4:30 and the meal is by donation.

Eden Foundation

Mental Health Awareness Week is from May 1-5, 7-9pm at the Winkler Arts & Culture. All events are free & no registration is required. Please see the bulletin board in the foyer for details.

MCI Announcements

You're invited to MCI's Spring Fundraiser with comedian Matt Falk on May 6th, 7:30pm in Buhler Hall. Come for an evening of laughs, a silent auction and supporting MCI! Reserve your tickets online by calling the school at (204)327-5891 or by visiting mciblues.net. There is no cost to reserve tickets, as they are by donation. Donations will be accepted throughout the evening.

Youth Calendar

May 3 - Bible Study (Sign up deadline for Activate)
May 12 (Friday) - Activate in Winnipeg. Depart BMC at 5:15pm.